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In re Application of

Maggioncalda et al.

Application No. 09/904,707

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Title of Invention: User Interface for a Financial Advisory System that Allows an End User to Interactively Explore Tradeoffs Among Input

Decisions

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition filed March 14, 2006, under 37 CFR 1.137(b) to revive the above-identified application.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely submit the issue and publication fees, as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee (s) Due which was mailed December 7, 2005. The Notice of Allowance and Fee (s) Due set a three (3) month statutory period for reply. Extensions of time were not available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on March 8, 2006. This decision precedes the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment.

The requirements for a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been met. This petition is hereby **Granted**.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Patent Publication for processing into a patent.

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